

# Results: North American Sprint, RTTY — March 2019

The magazine results have been abbreviated to fit the space available. Expanded results, including the complete line scores are available online at [ncjweb.com](http://ncjweb.com).

The 35th North American RTTY Sprint attracted 126 participants from 46 multipliers. The 85 logs received was the highest number since 2014. That's good news, but double or triple this level of participation would *really* increase the fun. The rare VYØ multiplier was supplied by Pierre, VYØERC, and two non-US/VE countries joined in this time — Rob, IK5UAN (for the third time), and Augusto, LU1KCQ. Thanks and welcome!

Dave, K6LL, led the pack by a large margin, topping both QSOs and multipliers. Second-place Bill, N6ZFO, was SO1R as were the third and fourth-place stations — Dick, K9OM, and Kent, N6WT — who were close behind.

Once again, Larry, K7SV, led the Low Power category as he has in the past two RTTY Sprints, which also earned him fifth overall.

Mark (Burt), NN7SS, topped the QRP field, as he often does, even while starting 1.5 hours late and missing 20 meters. QRP on the two low bands is challenging, and, this time he had four other competitors.

The 12 team registrations may be an all-time record, although most were partial teams. SWACC #1 again topped the list, beating NCCC #1.

There were also 12 Golden Logs, with Ray, WQ5L, topping the list with 111 QSOs, an excellent result.

Request your Log Check Report (LCR) from me for lots of detail on your accuracy. Note that when an exchange element is missing from the QSO data, log checking uses "999" for serial number, "Tree" for name, and "OR" for QTH. When you see one of these in your log check report it usually means that exchange parameter was missing in the QSO line.

The next RTTY Sprint is Saturday, September 14, 2019 (in North American time zones) (0000 – 0004 UTC, Sunday, September 15). Hope to work everyone then.

## Soapbox

First attempt at a RTTY Sprint! A bit confusing at first, but challenging. — KE3K  
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## Top 10 Scores

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ABØS	3,584	4	8	45	30	43	10
N7WY	3,248	2	3	31	29	40	12
NØKQ	3,103	4	4	40	31	24	12
W6SX	2,727	2	1	30	48	23	0
W3RGA	2,492	8	5	20	26	27	16

## Top 10 Low Power

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K7SV	4,130	37	1	39	35	29	15
K6JO	3,570	4	4	37	33	33	16
W4OC	3,360	38	6	32	40	20	13
K6GHA	3,255	2	10	25	37	28	15
WQ5L	3,108	9	0	32	29	37	13
K4GMH	2,100	28	9	18	18	34	5
VA6RCN	2,100	10	4	28	23	22	11
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NØAT	1,809	2	10	17	0	24	26
AA4DD	1,680	2	3	9	14	34	13
WD9CIR	1,584	3	9	6	21	19	20

## Top 10 QRP

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NN7SS	1,794	8	1	0	24	26	19
N8NA	660	1	0	0	4	25	4
N6MA	88	1	2	1	10	0	0
N6HI	55	1	1	0	5	5	1
N8URE	9	0	0	0	0	3	0

worked a CQer (and me not calling them back), but had never done this before and only figured out late what they were doing. Looks like it might be fun if you work at it, but not really my cup of tea. — *KM4F*

My first time working the Sprint. I enjoyed it once I got the hang of it! — *KOØZ*

Ran QRP, one-half watt to a 20-foot ended wire. Limited effort, just a few points for the club. QSY rule makes this one a bit hectic for QRP S&P ops! Still, a fun evening with 1/2 W and my wonder wire. — *N6HI*

I missed the first 90 minutes finishing Mom's birthday party. By then 20 was quite empty. Forty was good for a bit, but people moved to 80 early when 40-meter signals were still improving. Eighty was a struggle. — *NN7SS (K6UFO op)*

Fun! That felt like a real Sprint — frenzied, not like what I experienced 6 months ago, but I did that one from my modest home station and made only half the Qs as this time. First time doing SO2R in a Sprint. Gotta remember to breathe. — *NW6P (W9KKN op)*

This is another WQ6X portable operation from W7AYT's QTH in Concord (Read about it at <http://WQ6X.blogspot.com>). — *WQ6X*

Wanted to support the contest by making some QSOs. Not much activity. — *K5ZD*

Top 10 QSO Totals		Top 10 Multipliers		Golden Logs		Top 10 Band Changes	
K6LL	179	K6LL	37	WQ5L	111	NØXR	66
N6WT	142	K7SV	35	K5ZD	68	N4IQ	53
N6ZFO	142	N4IQ	35	VE3CX	51	K6MR	52
K9OM	132	K9OM	34	NK6A	36	N4ZZ	50
NW6P	131	NØTA	33	N8NA	33	K6LL	45
NØXR	129	N6RO	33	W6IA	31	W4OC	38
ABØS	128	KA6BIM	32	K5MXG	26	K7SV	37
N3QE	126	NØXR	32	N6DM	21	W1UJ	33
NØTA	125	N6ZFO	32	VE3FH	8	N3QE	30
KA6BIM	121	W4OC	32	N8URE	3	K4GMH	28
				K6XX	2		
				K9NW	1		

### Team Scores

1. SWACC #1		2. NCCC #1		3. SWACC #2		4. NCCC #2	
K6LL	6,623	N6ZFO	4,544	NØXR	4,128	NA6O	2,100
K9OM	4,488	NW6P	3,799	WQ5L	3,108	AE6JV	1,794
N4IQ	3,955	K6MR	3,540	<b>Total</b>	<b>7,236</b>	NN7SS	1,794
N4ZZ	3,596	K6GHA	3,255			K6ST	390
ABØS	3,584	W6SX	2,727			<b>Total</b>	<b>6,078</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>22,246</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>17,865</b>				
		5. Team PVRC	N3QE, K4GMH				6,006
		6. SCCC	N6WT, WQ6X, N6DM				5,100
		7. SMC Team Diddle	WT2P, K9QQ, N9WEW, WO9I, K9NW				3,929
		8. Bradley Braves	W9JWC, WD9CIR				3,508
		9. NCCC #3	N6RO, N6EE				3,193
		10. Arizona Outlaws Gamb	NG7Z, N9NA				2,730
		11. Stinking Rtty Diddy	K9SEX, K5MXG				2,360
		12. Cokan-kids	ACØE				792

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Single Operator Scoring

Call Sign	Name	QTH	20	40	80	QSO	Mlt	Score	Bnd Chgs
W1UJ	JAY	MA	2	44	60	106	29	3,074	33
K5ZD	RANDY	MA	8	34	26	68	28	1,904	2
N3QE	TIM	MD	14	48	64	126	31	3,906	30
W3RGA	PAT	PA	1	30	58	89	28	2,492	8
K3RWN	*RICH	PA	1	19	43	63	22	1,386	17
KØOO	*PAT	MD	0	15	28	43	21	903	9
N8NA	**KARL	DE	0	11	22	33	20	660	1
W2BAP	*ART	PA	0	0	12	12	10	120	0
K9OM	DICK	FL	17	59	56	132	34	4,488	10
K7SV	*LAR	VA	12	43	63	118	35	4,130	37
N4IQ	BILL	SC	8	43	62	113	35	3,955	53
N4ZZ	DON	TN	19	42	55	116	31	3,596	50
W4OC	*DON	SC	13	41	51	105	32	3,360	38
K4GMH	*MIKE	VA	0	20	55	75	28	2,100	28
AA4DD	*DAVE	TN	7	16	47	70	24	1,680	2
N4DXS	STEVE	VA	0	23	34	57	24	1,368	1
W4GKM	NICK	TN	1	23	14	38	21	798	10
KM4F	*DENNIS	GA	4	8	20	32	18	576	5
AD4TJ	TJ	VA	0	9	21	30	18	540	1
KI4SP	*JACK	AL	0	5	0	5	3	15	0
WQ5L	*RAY	MS	5	51	55	111	28	3,108	9
K9SEX	STINKY	TX	21	44	7	72	27	1,944	2
K5WW	*ERIK	TX	0	38	12	50	22	1,100	1
K5GZR	RICK	TX	0	2	27	29	18	522	1
K5MXG	CHARLENE	TX	3	5	18	26	16	416	2
AE5P	*ARMY	TX	4	12	7	23	12	276	2
N6ZFO	BILL	CA	19	63	60	142	32	4,544	9
N6WT	KENT	CA	27	58	57	142	31	4,402	2
NW6P	TOM	CA	27	53	51	131	29	3,799	24
K6JO	*LEE	CA	19	60	40	119	30	3,570	4
K6MR	KEN	CA	26	66	26	118	30	3,540	52
K6GHA	*DON	CA	14	51	40	105	31	3,255	2
N6RO	KEN	CA	20	40	36	96	33	3,168	14
W6SX	HANK	CA	13	55	33	101	27	2,727	2
NA6O	GARY	CA	10	43	22	75	28	2,100	2
AE6JV	*BILL	CA	7	44	27	78	23	1,794	14
W1SRD	STEVE	CA	4	40	14	58	22	1,276	2
NK6A	DON	CA	9	27	0	36	21	756	1
W6IA	MARK	CA	10	19	2	31	18	558	4
WQ6X	RON	CA	3	16	6	25	17	425	2
N6DM	*GARY	CA	1	14	6	21	13	273	4
N6EE	RON	CA	5	0	0	5	5	25	0
K6XX	*BOB	CA	0	0	2	2	1	2	0
K6LL	DAVE	AZ	36	79	64	179	37	6,623	45
KA6BIM	DAVE	OR	22	58	41	121	32	3,872	2
NG7Z	*PAUL	AZ	16	43	25	84	23	1,932	2
NN7SS	**BURT	WA	2	41	26	69	26	1,794	8
N9NA	JOHN	AZ	0	0	42	42	19	798	0
WA7BRL	*CHUCK	WA	10	19	5	34	14	476	2
K6ST	*BARRY	NV	7	14	5	26	15	390	2
KL7AIR	*JAY	AK	8	15	2	25	15	375	2
N6MA	**PAUL	AZ	1	10	0	11	8	88	1
N6HI	**JOHN	AZ	0	9	2	11	5	55	1
KE3K	*BOB	MI	5	11	34	50	23	1,150	2
N8FYL	*JOHN	MI	0	7	29	36	18	648	3
N8URE	**STEPHEN	WV	0	0	3	3	3	9	0
W9JWC	*BRAD	IL	6	28	40	74	26	1,924	2
KC9K	DAVE	IL	18	30	22	70	25	1,750	3
WD9CIR	*STEVE	IL	2	27	37	66	24	1,584	3

KOØZ	*RON	IL	4	18	37	59	25	1,475	2
WT2P	CJ	IL	3	23	33	59	25	1,475	4
K9QQ	*BRIAN	IL	0	14	35	49	23	1,127	1
N9WEW	*JOSH	IL	4	15	32	51	20	1,020	2
KB9S	*MARK	WI	14	17	17	48	20	960	2
WO9I	*JEFF	IL	-1	2	17	18	17	306	6
K9PG	*PAUL	IL	0	1	4	5	4	20	2
K9NW	*MIKE	IN	0	0	1	1	1	1	0
NØXR	DEAN	IA	26	54	49	129	32	4,128	66
NØTA	JOHN	CO	6	61	58	125	33	4,125	2
ABØS	TIM	KS	16	50	62	128	28	3,584	4
N7WY	BOB	MO	23	39	50	112	29	3,248	2
NØKQ	BILL	CO	8	59	40	107	29	3,103	4
K4IU	*FRED	MN	10	24	37	71	26	1,846	8
NØAT	*RON	MN	13	11	43	67	27	1,809	2
KØTG	*JOHN	MN	7	16	26	49	20	980	2
WZ1Y	JACK	KS	0	41	0	41	22	902	0
ACØE	*JIM	KS	0	33	11	44	18	792	4
KI6DY	*RAJ	KS	6	10	0	16	9	144	1
VA6RCN	*KEVIN	AB	12	33	39	84	25	2,100	10
VE7BC	KEN	BC	10	38	11	59	26	1,534	2
VE3CX	TOM	ON	0	24	27	51	19	969	3
VE2IR	*DONALD	PQ	0	11	7	18	11	198	1
VE3FH	*JULIO	ON	1	7	0	8	6	48	1
VYØERC	PIERRE	VY0	2	22	0	24	18	432	1
IK5UAN	ROB	I	0	15	0	15	13	195	0
LU1KCQ	AUGUSTO	LU	7	7	0	14	11	154	1

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NØTA	33
N6RO	33
KA6BIM	32
NØXR	32
N6ZFO	32
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**Golden Logs**

WQ5L	111
K5ZD	68
VE3CX	51
NK6A	36
N8NA	33
W6IA	31
K5MXG	26
N6DM	21